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MOOSE CLUB ENTERTAINS FRIENDS.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294, Loyal Order of Moose, opened the doors of their handsome new club rooms last Thursday afternoon and night to the public and entertained their friends in a royal manner.

The new home is a credit to a town much larger than Hickman, and the taste and judgment used in the selection of the furnishings and fittings redounds to the credit of those having this part of the work in their charge. There are reading rooms, pool rooms, etc., fitted with big easy chairs, etc., that are very inviting. The lodge room can be turned into a dance hall in a very few minutes and has one of the best and largest floors in this end of the State.

A reception was held in the afternoon, to which the general public was invited, with music by a Paducah orchestra. Invitations had been issued for Thursday night, and the hall was crowded almost overflowing. National Director D. A. McClellan, on behalf of the local lodge, extended welcome to the invited guests, and in the course of his remarks mentioned the work that the Loyal Order of Moose had undertaken in looking after the widows and orphans of the Order, and pictured the head camp at Mooseheart, Ill., in a very impressive way. He is a fluent and entertaining speaker and promised to deliver a lecture to the citizens of Hickman in the near future about the Loyal Order of Moose and the great work it is doing. He is sure to have a good audience to hear him when he announces the date of the lecture. After his talk, Dictator A. M. Shaw in a few well chosen words formally turned the hall over to the guests of the lodge for their entertainment.

Everyone of the large crowd present seemed to enjoy themselves to the utmost, and certainly it was the nicest thing that has been pulled off in Hickman in many moons.

AUTO BURNED THURSDAY NIGHT.

A 5-passenger automobile belonging to Ike Bowden, Tom McCauley and Olie Lowery together with the garage, was burned Thursday night about 11:30, nothing being saved from either the building or car. The car was purchased from H. C. Helm about two weeks ago by the parties, all negroes, for jitney service. The boys were working on the car with coal oil lamps and lanterns in the building, the gas ignited and in a few seconds the flames had gotten beyond control.

25,000 BUSHELS OF CUCUMBERS WANTED.

A special from Paducah says: "The Paducah Vinegar Works is ready to begin receiving cucumbers, which it will manufacture into pickles, and expects to purchase about 25,000 bushels. About 100 acres of McCracken county farm land were used for raising cucumbers at the solicitation of the company. The yield is expected to be about 200 bushels to the acre. The company will pay 75 cents a bushel for cucumbers from four to five inches in length. All cucumbers under 5 inches are acceptable."

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.

Next week is the Courier's semi-annual holiday week. Ordinarily we print no paper 4th of July week, but on account of legal advertising which must be run, a small, four-page paper will be issued next Thursday. This issue will be a mere excuse and will not carry the regular run of local news, being printed in advance of publication day.

The Courier force will take a week's vacation, and be back on the job Monday, July 12th.

The finishing touches are being put on the handsome new residence of Judge F. S. Moore, and it will be ready for occupancy in a week or two.

...Bargain Opportunities...

This Splendid List of Greatly Underpriced Merchandise Reveals Great Opportunities For You To Save Money

The woman is indeed well supplied with Summer necessities who cannot find among the hundreds of articles among those that are listed, some that are needed. Little regard has been shown for former prices in pricing this merchandise making values that you cannot profitably overlook.

You can make the needed additions to your wardrobe at remarkable small expenditure if you take advantage of our present small prices, but you must come soon for this merchandise will be gone in a few days.



Special Values In Wash Goods

Ail in handsome patterns and of our regular dependable quality. Don't neglect purchasing a large supply at these extremely low prices.

Lawns, yd.	5c, 8c to 15c
Crepes, yd.	10c, 15c to 18c
Ginghams, a yd.	10c, 12½c to 15c
Silk stripe Piques.	25c, 30c and up.

White Goods Reduced Too

Not only will you like our present prices but the qualities will delight you as well. We have a plentiful supply so you can buy all you need.

Lace stripe Mull, a yd.	7c
Lace Stripe Voiles, a yd.	10c, 12½c to 15c
White Embroidered Swiss.	15c to 25c
White Stripe Crepe.	10c, 12½c to 15c

And numerous other items.

A Great Let-Go Of Silks

We can't keep them—we need the room—so you're offered the opportunity of putting them to good use and saving more than enough to buy trimmings.

Foulard Silks, 27 inch were \$1.00 at.	45c
French Foulard, 27 inch, were 25c at.	15c
Crepe de Chine, 27, inch 60c at.	35c
Tussah Jacquard, 27-inch, were 25c at.	15c
Wash Silks in stripes, 19 inch, were 45c at.	25c
Taffeta Silks, 27 inch, were \$1.00, now.	25c to 50c
Wash Silks in stripes, 27 inch, were 50c at.	25c

Women's Suits at Half Price Or Less

We want to sell them now so we have cut our former prices. They surely will find their way without delay to satisfied economical women. The styles are good, the qualities are the finest and the values unsurpassed.

Were.	\$10, 15 to 25
Now.	\$5, 7.50 to 10

SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON Dresses and Waists

Those who are in search of the most attractive dresses and waists at small prices, will find them here in handsome fabrics and designs.

Street Dresses that were \$3.50 to \$6.00	Now.	\$2.75 to 4.75
House Dresses that were \$1.25 to \$2.50	Now.	90c, \$1.25 and 1.95

WAISTS

Were.	\$1.00, 1.50, 2.50, 4.00, 6.00
Now.	25c, 75c, 95c, \$1.50 to 3.95

White Shoes and Oxfords

GREAT VALUES

Summer footwear for women and children has not been priced so low here this Summer.

White Nubuck and Canvas Shoes and Oxfords, were \$2.50, 3.00 to 3.50	Now.	\$1.50, 1.75 to 2.50
White Nubuck and Canvas Shoes and Oxfords, \$1.50, 2.00 to 2.50.	Now.	\$1, 1.25 to 1.75
Children's Canvas Oxfords, were \$1.25 to 1.50	Now.	65c, 85c to \$1

ESQ. WILLIAMS DIES AT CAYCE MONDAY.

Lacking only about two months of rounding out 74 years, that honorable, active, peerless citizen, Esq. John W. Williams, of Cayce, passed away Monday morning at 4 o'clock, after a partial illness covering years, and a serious illness of 2 weeks. The attending physician, Dr. J. W. Naylor, informs us that kidney trouble was the cause of his demise.

Esq. Williams was one of the staunch, trusted men of Fulton county. For eight consecutive years, he served the county as magistrate from the Cayce district but declined to run in the last election on account of failing health and was succeeded by Esq. Atteberry. His tenure of office was more than satisfactory to his constituency, as well as the entire country.

For many years Esq. Williams had resided on his farm two miles east of Cayce, coming to this section some 40 years ago. He was born in Weakley county, Tenn. His wife (before marriage Miss Bettie Campbell), and two children survive him; a daughter, Mrs. John Tyler, of Lodgton; and a son, Clarence Williams, of Fulton; besides a number of other relatives.

In the death of Mr. Williams, Cayce and Fulton county lose a valuable citizen. He was the embodiment of honesty, integrity, uprightness. His virtues were legion; his faults few. No man in the county stood higher in the estimation of his fellowman. Deceased served with gallantry and distinction the cause of the Confederacy, putting in the full four years in the infantry. He was a life-long member of the Methodist church; also a member of the Masonic lodge at Cayce.

The remains were laid to rest in the family (Campbell) grave yard Tuesday, after services by his former friend and pastor, Rev. Spears, and with final services in charge of the Masonic lodge of Cayce.

HORSES FOR WAR BY THE TRAIN LOAD.

A few days ago, in the early hours of the morning, we noticed a solid load of horses and mules going through Union City to New Orleans, thence to Europe, where they will be used — or rather killed and maimed—in the great struggle between mad races of the east. The night clerk of the hotel informed us this was nothing unusual; that almost every day a train load of these poor brutes passed through that city for Europe.

At this rate—if other railroads are carrying a proportionate number—it will not be long before this country will be "a-foot," and short of beasts of burden.

Anything—anyway—to get the \$.

J. W. NEWMAN QUILTS RACE FOR GOVERNOR.

Louisville, Ky., June 24. —Asserting that the "Democratic party in Kentucky today faces a crisis," John W. Newman, commissioner of agriculture, Thursday announced his withdrawal as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor. Newman calls attention to the dissension in the Democratic ranks and also to what he views menacing of the Republican force and asserts there is yet time to successfully meet the crisis.

JOE WHITSON DEAD.

Joe Whitson, about 50 years old, died at his home near Bessie on Thursday of last week, after a lingering illness. Mr. Whitson had been in bad health since early in the spring and gradually grew worse. Deceased is known by many people of this county, having formerly lived near Ridgeley. He is survived by his wife and several children. Remains were interred in the graveyard in Kentucky Bend last Friday. —Lake County News.

Listen, girls; N. R. Holcombe has purchased a handsome new seven passenger Hudson car.



..Smith & Amberg..

Incorporated



R. L. Gray has purchased R. A. Tyler's big, six-cylinder Stevens-Duryea car and will use it in taxi service between Hickman and Fulton.

W. C. Tipton was in Memphis Thursday.

Go to the Crystal tonight.

Col. C. L. Walker spent several days last week in Louisville in the head office of the Mengel Box Co.

Dolly Varden and Plainsifter flour.—Bettsworth.

Dan Briggs was in Union City Sunday.

Roscoe Stone and wife returned Friday from their wedding trip, and a visit to the former's mother, at Portageville, Mo.

Mrs. Lou Harper and Miss Leora Holland were in Union City Thursday afternoon.

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J. Q. Holifield, of Tiptonville, spent several days last week with Hickman relatives.

Floyd Bushart, wife and children spent Sunday with relatives at Martin, Tenn.

Mr. Ledbetter, of the N. C. St. L., spent Sunday in Ralston.